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## **NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING & REGULAR MEETING**

The Delaware Thoroughbred Racing Commission will hold a Public Hearing and Regular Meeting on **Wednesday, October 10, 2012, at 9:05 a.m., in the Veranda Room, White Clay Creek Country Club,** located on the grounds of Delaware Park, 777 Delaware Park Boulevard, Wilmington, Delaware 19804.

### **AGENDA**

*Updated on October 3, 2012  
Updated on October 5, 2012*

1. **Welcome & Call To Order**
2. **Approval of Minutes (September 12, 2012)**
3. **Public Hearing – Appeals to Commission from Stewards' Rulings**
  - A. Trainer, Mr. Jamie Ness, Appeal #ASR-44-2012
  - B. Trainer, Mr. Juan Vazquez, Appeal #ASR-31-2012
  - C. Trainer, Mr. Juan Vazquez, Appeal #ASR-32-2012
  - D. Trainer, Mr. Juan Vazquez, Appeal #ASR-33-2012
4. **Old Business**
5. **New Business**
  - A. Summary of meeting activities at the International Conference of Racing Analysts and Veterinarians (ICRAV) by Dr. Jane C. Teichner, Associate Commission Veterinarian.
  - B. Apprentice Jockey Process and Requirements (**added on October 3, 2012**)
  - C. 2013 Racing Schedule – Request for 363 Days of Simulcasting (**added on October 5, 2012**)
6. **Report from DTRC Executive Director**
7. **Report from DTRC Chief Commission Veterinarian**
  - A. Veterinary Statistical Health Report
8. **Report from Delaware Thoroughbred Horsemen's Association**
  - A. Delaware Certified Thoroughbred Program Report
9. **Equine Welfare Presentation and Funding Request**

Dr. Carissa Wickens, Assistant Professor at the University of Delaware and Mr. Steuart Pittman for the Retired Racehorse Training Project
10. **Executive Session**

The Commission may enter into executive session to discuss personnel changes which discussion will involve personnel matters in which the names, competency and abilities of individual employees are discussed as provided in 29 Del. C. § 10004 (b) (9).
11. **Adjournment**

Please check our website for meeting minutes and updates: [www.state.de.us/deptagri/thoroughbred](http://www.state.de.us/deptagri/thoroughbred)

The next meeting of the Commission will take place on November 7, 2012.